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ALL PURPOSE EGG MIX, INVITATION NO. 06, ANNOUNCEMENT PY-260

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell all purpose egg mix as indicated below and per the Announcement for domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers are due by 12 noon, Central Time, Monday, Aug. 12. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Aug. 16. Deliveries are to be made from Oct. 16 and to Dec. 31.

Offers are invited from the trade for all purpose egg mix packaged in plastic laminated foil pouches, 6 ounces (170 g) to each pouch and 18 pounds (8.16 kg) net in each fiberboard shipping container. A purchase unit will consist of 2,000 shipping containers (forty-eight 6-ounce (170-g) pouches each) totaling 36,000 pounds (16,329 kg) net weight.

As stated in the September 21 Notice to the Trade, all offers must be submitted electronically through the Domestic Electronic Bid Entry System (DEBES) website at <a href="https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?">https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?</a>. Offers submitted on and after October 1, 2001, by any means other than DEBES will be considered nonresponsive.

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-260, Appendix-1, the Commodity Specification for All Purpose Egg Mix dated April 1998, as amended, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260, 1400 Independence Ave., SW, Washington, D.C. 20250, telephone (202) 720-7693. An electronic version of this Invitation can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <a href="http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp">http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp</a>.

Purchases will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-260, to the listed locations. Destination quantities are estimates and are subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient need, market conditions, and program operations. Delivery by trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY260 INVITATION : 006

COMM GROUP : 07 EGG MIX

COMM TYPE : 60 EGG MIX, DRIED PACK SIZE : 48 48/6 OZ PKG

ITEM NO C	DESTINATION TITY		TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
DELIVERY	PERIOD 10/	16/02	- 10/31/02	
001 JAC	KSONVILE/FAS	FL F	AS	72,000
002 CHI	CAGO	IL T	RUCK ONLY	36,000
DELIVERY PERIOD 11/01/02 - 11/15/02				
003 AKR YOU 004 HOU 005 CAR	NGSTOWN STON	OH T	RUCK ONLY RUCK ONLY RUCK ONLY	23,400 12,600 36,000 36,000
DELIVERY	PERIOD 11/	16/02	- 11/30/02	
006 CHI	CAGO	IL T	RUCK ONLY	36,000
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/01/02 - 12/15/02				
007 CAR	THAGE	MO		36,000
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/16/02 - 12/31/02				
	KSONVILE/FAS CAGO		AS RUCK ONLY	72,000 36,000
TOTAL QU	ANTITY FOR C	OMMODI	TY TYPE	396,000
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION				396,000



Dennis J. Pearson Contracting Officer

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